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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
OAKLAND DIVISION

Kelora Systems, LLC,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Target Corporation, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 11-CV-1548-CW

STIPULATION PURSUANT TO FED. R. CIV. P. 21 AND 15(A)(2) TO ADD DEFENDANTS HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY, ZAPPOS.COM, INC., AND AUDIBLE, INC., AND TO DROP DEFENDANT HEWLETT-PACKARD DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, L.P.

I. INTRODUCTION

Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 21 and 15(a)(2) and Civil L.R. 7-12, Plaintiff Kelora Systems, LLC (“Kelora”), and Defendants Hewlett-Packard Development Company, L.P. (“HPDC”), and Amazon.com, Inc. (“Amazon”), hereby stipulate to add and drop certain entities related to HPDC and Amazon, as discussed further below. The remaining Defendants and Counterclaimants in the above-captioned action do not oppose this Stipulation. The relief sought in this Stipulation will not affect any hearing or proceeding on the Court’s calendar.

1 **II. HEWLETT-PACKARD ENTITIES**

2 HPDC represents that it is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Hewlett-Packard Company
3 (“HP”), is a holding company for Hewlett-Packard Company’s intellectual property rights, and
4 has never been involved in the hosting, operation, maintenance, development, or design of any e-
5 commerce websites, including the Accused Instrumentality that is identified in Appendix P of
6 Kelora’s Patent L.R. 3-1 Disclosure of Asserted Claims and Infringement Contentions.

7 Consistent with the Court’s guidance provided during the May 31, 2011, Case
8 Management Conference (*see* Tr. at p. 14), Kelora, HPDC, and HP have agreed pursuant to
9 Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 21 and 15(a)(2) to add HP and drop HPDC as Defendants in this
10 case as follows:

11 (1) HP is responsible for any infringement that may be found regarding the Accused
12 Instrumentalities identified in Kelora’s infringement contentions served on HPDC; in this regard
13 HP agrees to step into the shoes of HPDC and that HPDC may be treated as the correct entity for
14 purposes of the alleged infringement and liability related to such Accused Instrumentalities.

15 (2) No defense will be raised that HPDC is a necessary party for such claims.

16 (3) Kelora will be entitled to re-instate HPDC as a Defendant if any such defense is
17 asserted.

18 **III. AMAZON ENTITIES**

19 Kelora’s infringement contentions regarding Amazon in Appendix K of Kelora’s Patent
20 L.R. 3-1 Disclosure of Asserted Claims and Infringement Contentions identify five websites:
21 www.amazon.com, www.abebooks.com, www.audible.com, www.endless.com, and
22 www.zappos.com. Amazon represents that www.abebooks.com, www.audible.com (“Audible”),
23 and www.zappos.com (“Zappos”), are not operated by Amazon.com, Inc. As Audible and
24 Zappos are wholly-owned subsidiaries of Amazon, Kelora and Amazon agree that Audible and
25 Zappos will be added as Defendants and subject to the corresponding infringement contentions in
26 Appendix K of Kelora’s Patent L.R. 3-1 Disclosure of Asserted Claims and Infringement
27 Contentions.
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1 **VI. PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

2 Submitted herewith as Exhibit A is Kelora's proposed Second Amended Complaint
3 reflecting the changes to the parties discussed herein. Defendants that have been dismissed since
4 the filing of Kelora's First Amended Complaint have been omitted in the draft Second Amended
5 Complaint. No other substantive changes have been made with respect to the allegations
6 regarding other Defendants.

7 To avoid unnecessary filings on the Court's docket, pleadings responsive to Kelora's
8 Second Amended Complaint need only be filed by the new parties, Audible and Zappos. As HP
9 will be stepping into the shoes of HPDC, HP will adopt HPDC's Answer and Counterclaims
10 (Docket No. 279). The previously filed Answers and Counterclaims of Defendants Target
11 Corporation (Docket No. 281), OfficeMax Incorporated (Docket No. 285), Rockler Companies,
12 Inc. (Docket No.280) , 1-800-Flowers.com, Inc. (Docket No. 283), Amazon.com, Inc. (Docket
13 No. 286), Dell, Inc. (Docket No. 272), Office Depot, Inc. (Docket No. 282), Newegg Inc. (Docket
14 No. 275), Costco Wholesale Corporation (Docket No. 284), and CircuitCity.com Inc. (Docket No.
15 276), will be deemed filed in response to Kelora's proposed Second Amended Complaint.

16 Kelora, HP, Audible, and Zappos will meet and confer regarding dates for initial
17 disclosures and Patent L.R. 3-4(a) document productions by HP, Audible, and Zappos.

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SIGNATURE ATTESTATION

Pursuant to General Order No. 45(X)(B), I hereby certify that concurrence in the filing of
this document has been obtained from the other signatory shown above.

/s/Robert D. Becker

PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: 8/11/2011


Hon. Claudia Wilken
U.S. District Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on August 11, 2011, all counsel of record who are deemed to have consented to electronic service are being served, via the Court's CM/ECF system pursuant to Civil L.R. 5-4 and General Order 45, with a copy of the foregoing STIPULATION PURSUANT TO FED. R. CIV. P. 21 AND 15(A)(2) TO ADD DEFENDANTS HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY, ZAPPOS.COM, INC., AND AUDIBLE, INC., AND TO DROP DEFENDANT HEWLETT-PACKARD DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, L.P.

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